109TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

H. R. 439

To amend title 23, United States Code, to ensure that certain States remain eligible for Federal highway funds.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

February 1, 2005

Mr. Pascrell (for himself, Mr. Menendez, Mr. Pallone, Mr. Holt, Mr. Andrews, Mr. Payne, and Mr. Rothman) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
- 4 This Act may be cited as the "Pay to Play Reform
- 5 Protection Act".
- 6 SEC. 2. PAY TO PLAY REFORM.
- 7 Section 112 of title 23, United States Code, is
- 8 amended by adding at the end the following:

- 1 "(h) Construction.—Nothing in this section may
- 2 be construed to prohibit a State from enacting a law or
- 3 issuing an order that limits the amount of money an indi-
- 4 vidual, who is doing business with a State agency for a
- 5 Federal-aid highway project, may contribute to a political

6 campaign.".

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